# City of Santa Clara

City Council/Planning Commission

Joint Study Session

**CityPlace Santa Clara** 





### CityPlace Study Sessions

- Purpose of the study sessions
- Dates:
  - March 21 Focus will be on entitlements
    - EIR, Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan
    - General Plan Amendment and Master Community Plan
  - Study Session #3 (date: TBD) Focus will be on transaction documents
    - Development Agreement
    - Disposition & Development Agreement and Ground Lease
    - Phasing
    - Fiscal Overview



### Upcoming Activities

- Study Sessions
- Release of the FEIR

- Planning Commission hearing
- City Council hearing



### Background

- Two ENAs
  - MPG June 2012
  - Related California April 2013
- Council Study Sessions
  - October 2013; November 2013; and December 2013
- Term Sheets
  - February 2014; July 2014; and June 2015



### Background (con't)

- Commencement of Entitlement process
  - Preliminary work with landfill agencies
  - Notice of Preparation (July 2014)
  - Scoping Meeting (August 2014)
  - Release of DEIR (October 2015) 60 day comment period
  - Outreach meetings (2) October 2015
  - Study Sessions





#### Related Santa Clara



#### APPROVAL TIMELINE

The project team has spent over two years working with city officials, government agencies and community members developing the program and plans for Related Santa Clara. The following is a list of public meetings, study sessions, community meetings, and tentative approval dates:

| March 9, 2013     | City Council Hearing – Project announcement (Noticed Public Hearing)                                                    |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| October 30, 2013  | City Council Study Session – Project review (Noticed Public Hearing)                                                    |
| December 3, 2013  | City Council Hearing – Project update<br>(Noticed Public Hearing)                                                       |
| February 11, 2014 | City Council Hearing – Project update<br>(Noticed Public Hearing)                                                       |
| July 1, 2014      | Project Clearance Committee – Pre-planning application meeting                                                          |
| July 1, 2014      | City Council Hearing – Project update<br>(Noticed Public Hearing)                                                       |
| July 31, 2014     | Environmental Impact Report Scoping Meeting for the<br>Centennial Gateway Mixed Use Project<br>(Noticed Public Hearing) |
| August 12, 2014   | Environmental Impact Report Scoping Meeting for<br>City Place Santa Clara                                               |
| February 18, 2015 | Chamber of Commerce Presentation                                                                                        |
| April 21, 2015    | City Council Study Session (Noticed Public Hearing)                                                                     |

| April – December 2015 | Small Group Community Meetings                                                                           |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| June 16, 2015         | City Council Hearing – Project update<br>(Noticed Public Hearing)                                        |
| October 9, 2015       | Draft Environmental Impact Report Issued                                                                 |
| October 20, 2015      | Community Open House                                                                                     |
| October 21, 2015      | City of Santa Clara Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory<br>Committee & Silicon Valley Bike Coalition Meeting |
| October 26, 2015      | Community Open House                                                                                     |
| November 2015         | Project Clearance Committee, Master Community<br>Plan Meeting                                            |
| December 8, 2015      | Draft Environmental Impact Report Comment Period<br>Concludes                                            |
| January 14, 2016      | Sunnyvale Open House                                                                                     |

#### PROGRAM SUMMARY



239 ACRES 9.2 M SF

TOTAL PROJECT



5.7 M SF OFFICE



1.1 M SF



1,360 UNITS



700 ROOMS



250,000 SF FOOD & BEVERAGE

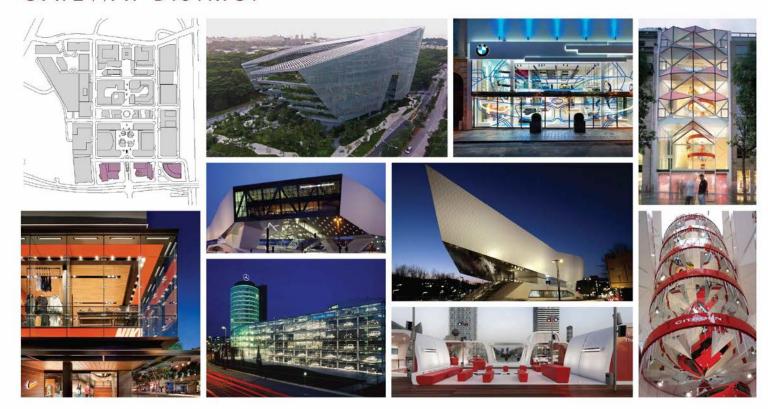


190,000 SF ENTERTAINMENT





#### GATEWAY DISTRICT



#### STATION





VIEW OF STATION BUILDING

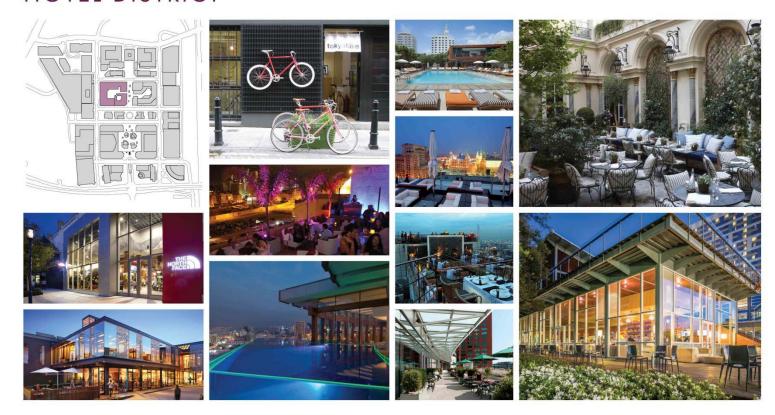
#### BOULEVARD





BOULEVARD VIEW LOOKING EAST

#### HOTEL DISTRICT



#### LIVE/WORK DISTRICT



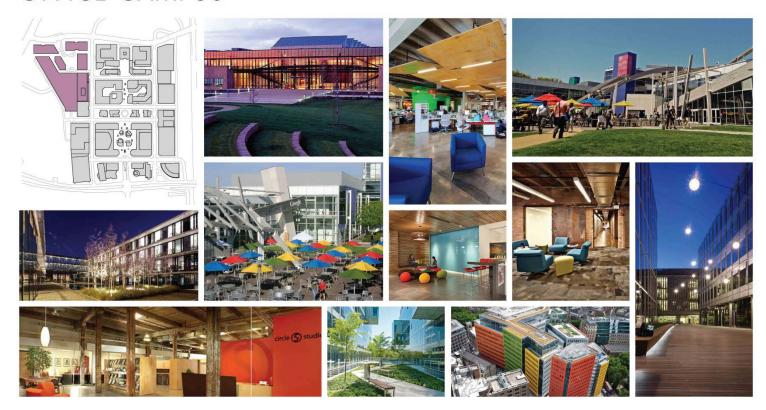
#### DESIGN DISTRICT





VIEW OF DESIGN DISTRICT

#### OFFICE CAMPUS



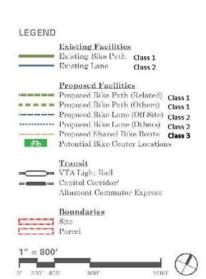
#### STREET NETWORK





#### **BICYCLE NETWORK**

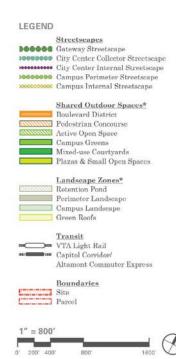
(from the Master Community Plan)

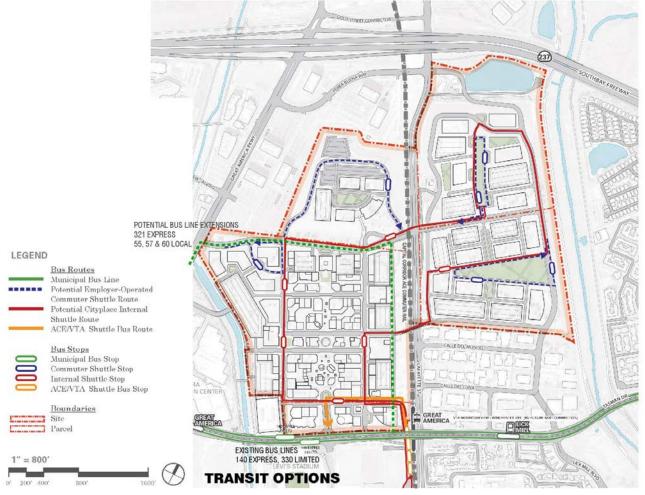


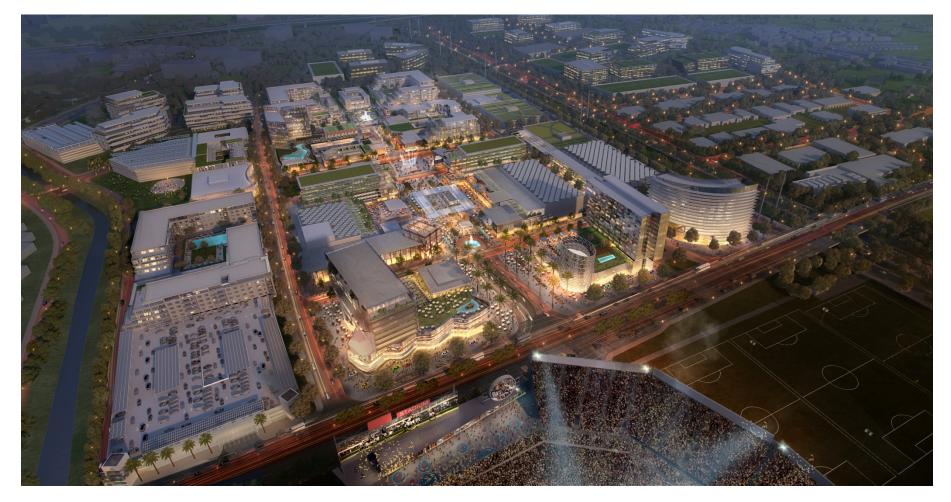


**EXHIBIT 3-19: OPEN SPACE NETWORK** 









#### CITY OF SANTA CLARA

## City Council/Planning Commission Study Session City Place Santa Clara

LANDFILL AND REGULATORY AGENCY FRAMEWORK MARCH 10, 2016









### **Existing Conditions**

- **Current Use:** 
  - Municipal golf course, tennis facility and related buildings
  - BMX racing track
  - Landfill gas-toenergy recovery system (Ameresco)





## Summary of Historic Municipal Landfill Operations

Santa Clara All Purpose Landfill operated from early 1960s until 1993 on approx. 183 acres and has a total of about 11 million cy of refuse.







## Landfill Monitoring, Collection, and Containment Features

- Landfill gas extraction wells and recovery system
- Amaresco landfill gas to energy plant
- Landfill gas monitoring probes
- Groundwater monitoring wells
- Leachate recovery system at Parcels 3/6 and 1NW
- Landfill leachate clay cut-off walls around Parcels 1 and 2
- Landfill gas cut-off walls around Parcels 4 and 3/6



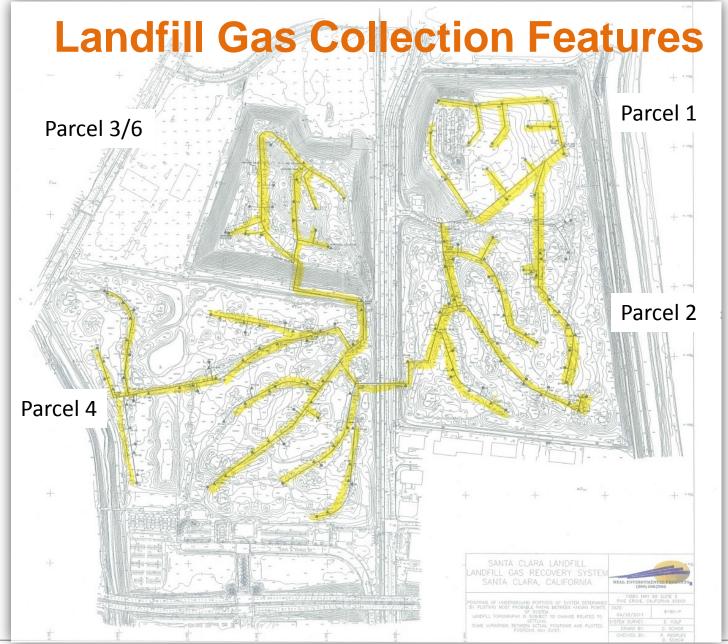


## Landfill Monitoring, Collection, and Containment Features Locations















## Regulatory Agency Framework Landfill Post Closure Land-use

#### San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board

- Waste Discharge Requirements. Oversight for landfill cover and liner, and protection of surface water and groundwater quality.
- Santa Clara County Environmental Health / California
   Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle)
  - Closure/Post-Closure Maintenance Plans and Corrective Action Plans. Oversight for refuse containment, landfill gas control and public safety.
- Bay Area Air Quality Management District
  - Permit to operate landfill gas collection system and landfill gas-to-energy plant (Amaresco). Oversight for landfill gas emissions to atmosphere.





## Process for Site Evaluation, and Developing Mitigation and Remediation Measures

- Landfill Characterization and Risk Evaluation for Commercial and Residential Land Use
  - Thorough Site Characterization: Soil gas VOC sampling followed by targeted refuse and groundwater sampling.
  - Risk evaluation based on sampling and identification of exposure pathways in accordance with agency vapor intrusion advisories.
  - Evaluation of potential remediation and mitigation measures.
- Landfill Gas Collection System Pilot Test
  - Small-scale tests of existing landfill gas collection system to support design of full-scale system for future development
- Geotechnical Evaluation
  - Site investigation to evaluate landfill cap, refuse and underlying soil properties to support foundation design
  - Land settlement evaluation to estimate how the refuse will settle post-development to support site design
- Post-Closure Land Use Plan (CCR Title 27 Section 21190)
  - County must be satisfied that post-closure activities will not pose a threat to health and safety and the environment. County/LEA commissioned a third party peer review.
  - RWQCB must approve changes to landfill cover and liner, and risk evaluation.
- Revise existing Waste Discharge Requirements, and Closure, Post-Closure Maintenance, and Corrective Action Plans
  - Identify impacts to existing monitoring, extraction and containment features, and engineer equivalent systems.
  - Identify administrative and legal mechanisms for ensuring ongoing responsibility and financial assurance for operation and maintenance systems.





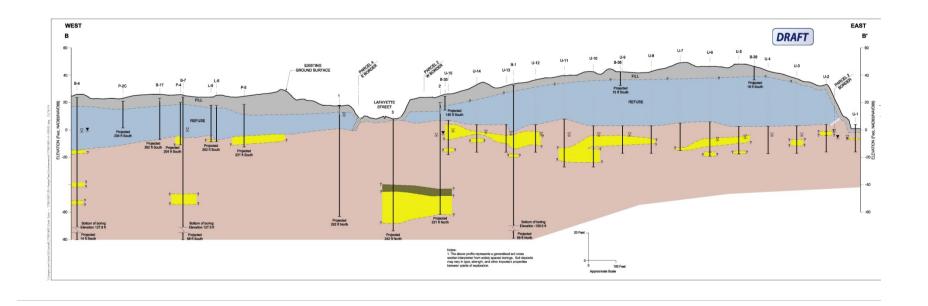
### **Cross Section Locations**







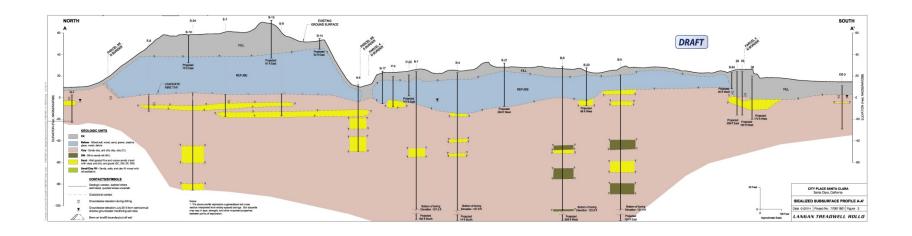
## **Geologic Cross Section Parcels 4 and 2**







## **Geologic Cross Sections Parcels 4 and 3/6**







# Conceptual Landfill Design and Mitigation Measures

- Final Landfill Cover
  - Existing landfill cap with low permeability layer and/or existing soil cover with demonstrated equivalent performance
- Building Foundations and Platform Structure
  - Mitigate impacts to cap/cover and liner/bottom of waste unit, and effects of refuse settlement
- Landfill Gas Extraction Systems
  - Landfill-wide collection, extraction and venting enhanced for remediation purposes and commercial/residential land use
  - Building-specific gas collection, venting and monitoring systems
- Leachate Recover System
  - Collection of landfill leachate below waste unit of Parcels 3/6





### **Conceptual Development Plan**

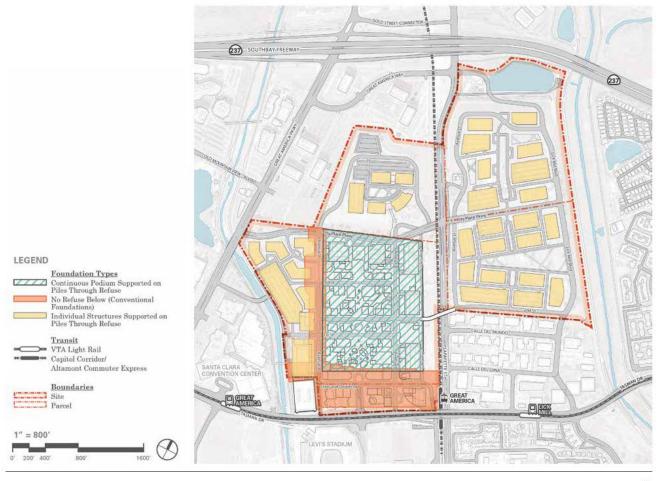






## **Platform Structure Location**

**EXHIBIT 8-5: FOUNDATION SYSTEMS** 

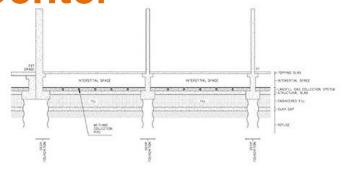






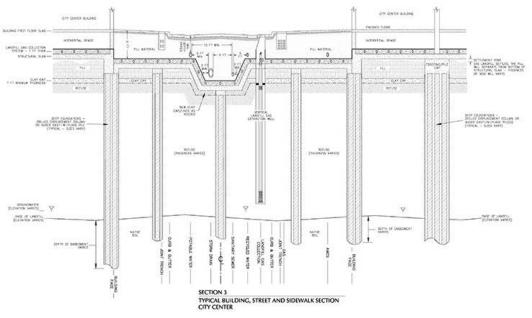
Parcel 4 Platform Structure Section at City Center

MINISTRA SHADE



SECTION 1
TYPICAL PLAZA SECTION - CITY CENTER

SECTION 2 TYPICAL BUILDING SECTION



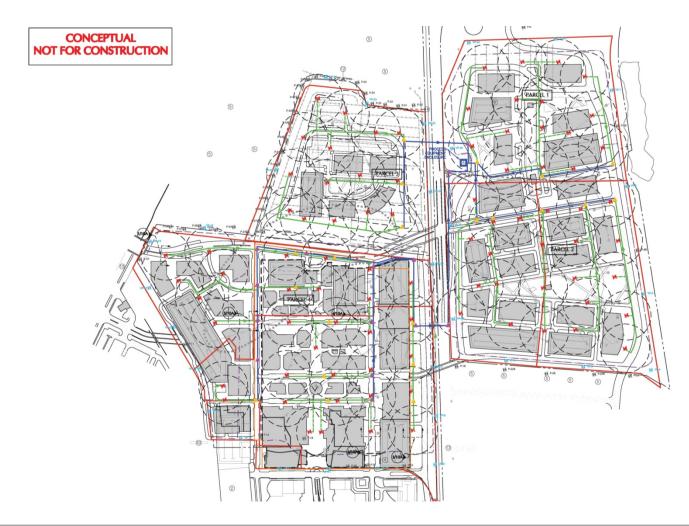








## Conceptual Landfill Gas Collection System Future Development

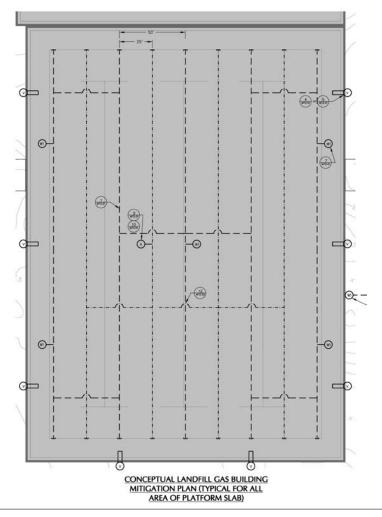






# Conceptual Building Landfill Gas Mitigation System

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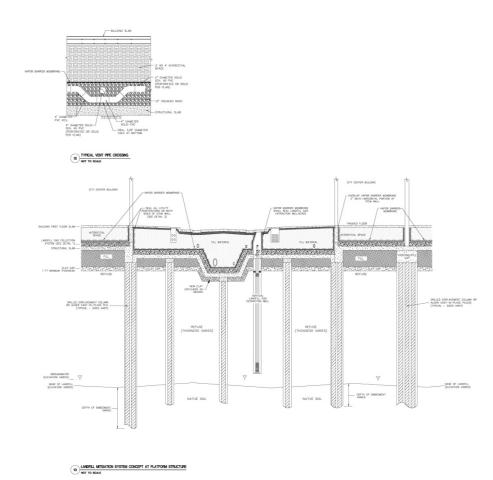








# Conceptual Building Landfill Gas Mitigation System







## Leachate Recovery System Parcels 3/6 and 1NW

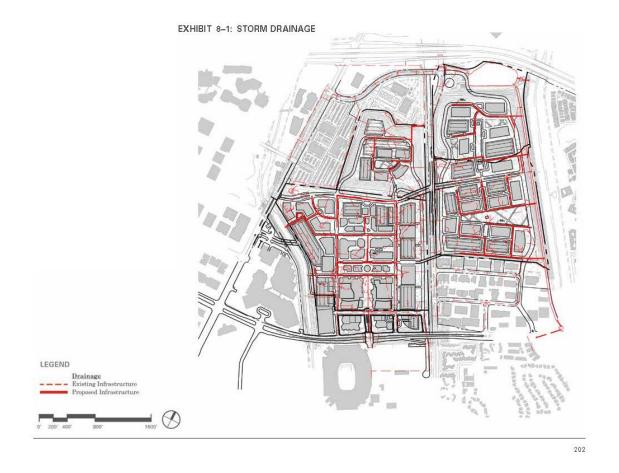
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## Infrastructure Plan – Storm Drain System







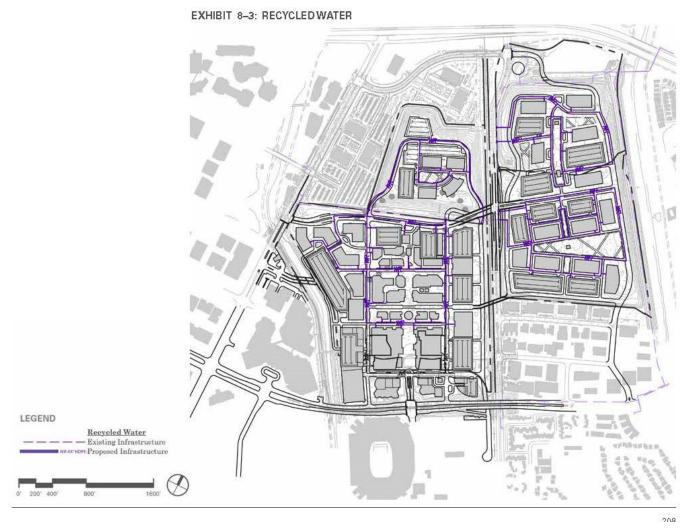
## Infrastructure Plan – Potable Water System







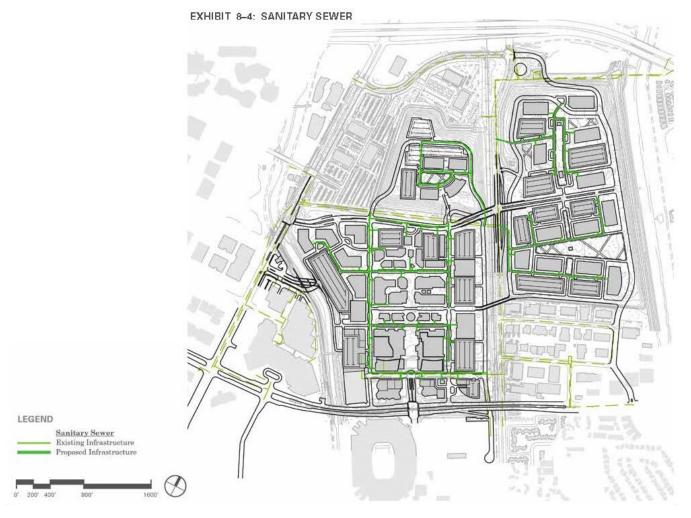
## Infrastructure Plan – Recycled Water System







## Infrastructure Plan – Sanitary Sewer System







## **Questions/Comments?**





## CITY PLACE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK

City Council / Planning Commission Study Session March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016





### Context and Constraints



#### **Wider Transportation Network**



Traffic congestion along critical corridors



Disconnected Pedestrian / Bicyle Network



Levi's Stadium Events

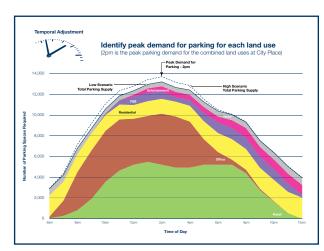




## Mixed Use Opportunities



**Internal Trips** 



**Shared Parking** 



**Balanced Traffic** 



**Shorter Trips** 



Stadium Event Amenities



Park Once



## Future Transportation Opportunities



Shared Bicycle Programs



Commuter Shuttle Services



**On-Demand Shuttle Services** 



Parking Management Strategies



**Travel Management Applications** 



Ridesharing Programs



### Street Network

#### **LEGEND**

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Vehicular Circulation

Major Arterial
Minor Arterial (Existing)
Minor Arterial (Proposed)

Collector Street (Existing)
Collector Street (Proposed)

Local Street (Proposed)

Potential Connection
Urban Interchange

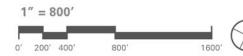
Full Intersection Right in Right out Intersection

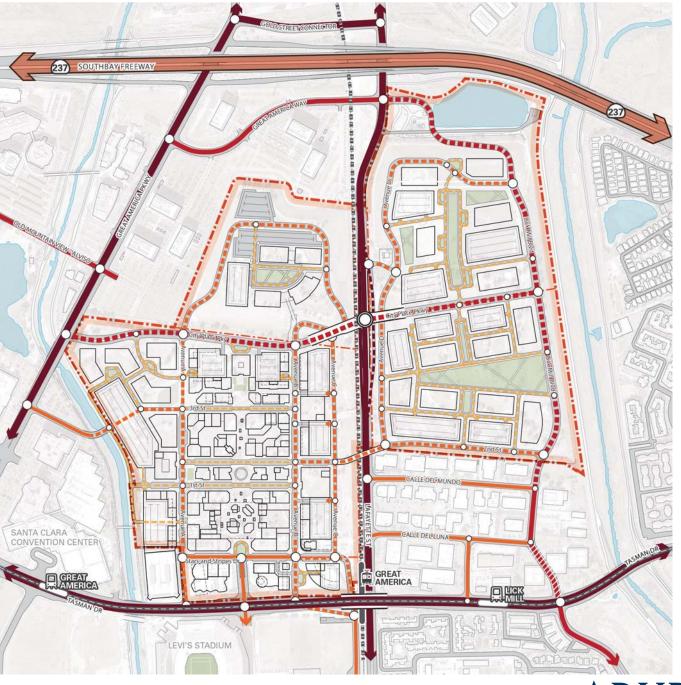
Transit

VTA Light Rail
Capitol Corridor/
Altamont Commuter Express

**Boundaries** 

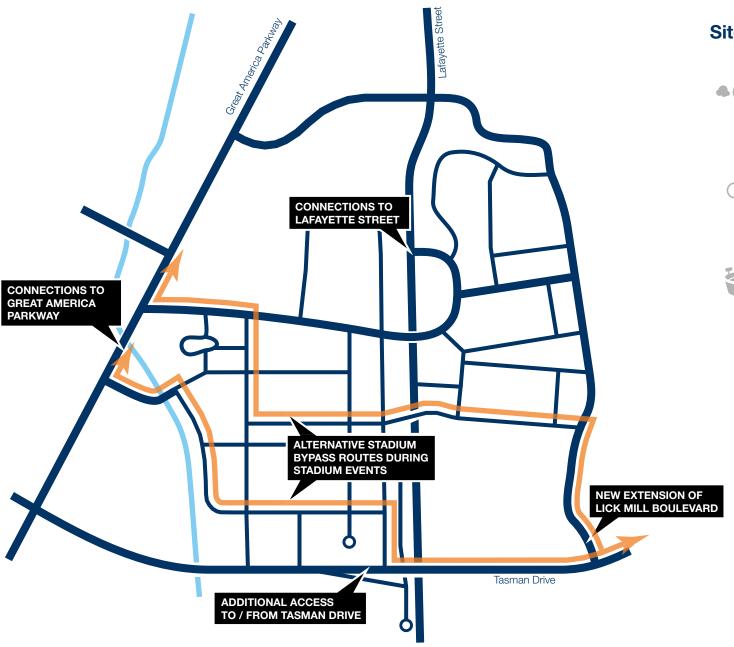
Site Parcel







## Site Access Opportunities



#### **Site Specific Opportunities**



Reduction in trips due to inherent nature of mixed use development



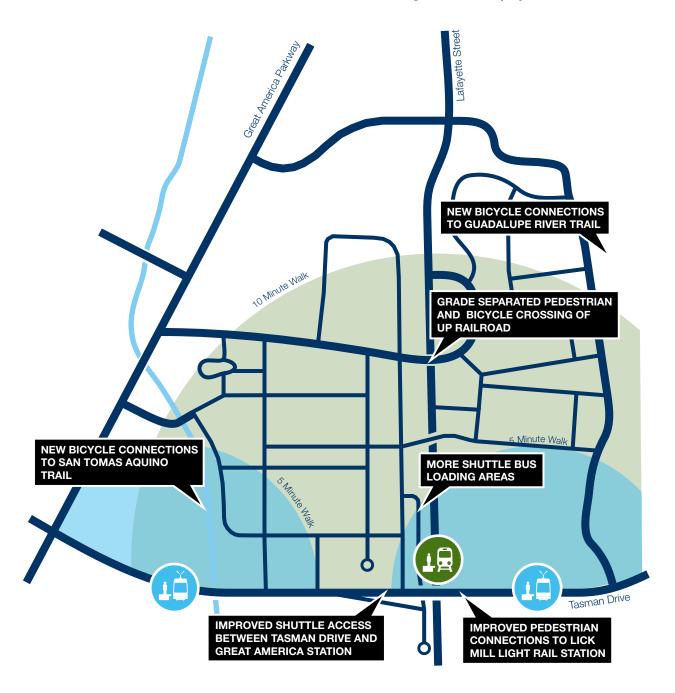
Extensive bicycle and pedestrian network will help to bridge the gaps in the wider area network



Synergy with stadium events providing a place to go before and after events, helping to spread the peak demands



## Transit, Pedestrian and Bicycle Opportunities



#### **Transit Opportunities**



VTA Express Light Rail Service along Tasman Drive, with 15 minute headways



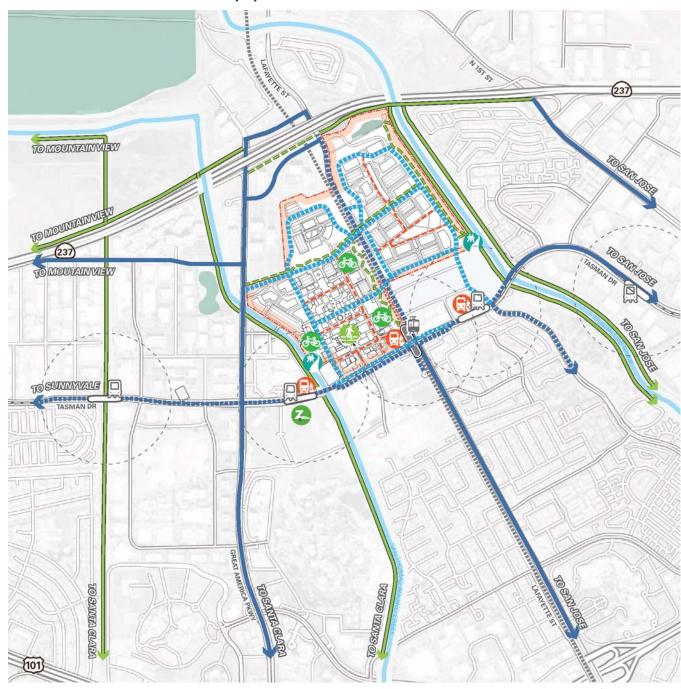
Double Tracking of the UP Railroad will result in increased ACE and Capitol Corridor service



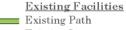
2nd Access onto Tasman Drive could provide greater flexibility for pedestrians and traffic before and after stadium events



## Pedestrian and Bicycle Connection Opportunities



#### **LEGEND**



Existing Lane

Existing Route

#### Proposed Facilities

Proposed Path (Shared) ■ ■ Proposed Lane (Off Site)

Proposed Lane (On Site)

----- Proposed Route

#### **Transit**

➤ VTA Light Rail Capitol Corridor/

Altamont Commuter Express

#### **Boundaries**

. Parcel







## Bicycle Network

#### **LEGEND Existing Facilities** = Existing Bike Path **Existing Lane Proposed Facilities** :==== Proposed Bike Path (Related) = = Proposed Bike Path (Others) Proposed Bike Lane (Off Site) Proposed Bike Lane (Others) Proposed Shared Bike Route Potential Bike Center Locations Transit ■ VTA Light Rail Capitol Corridor/ Altamont Commuter Express **Boundaries** Site Parcel

0' 200' 400'

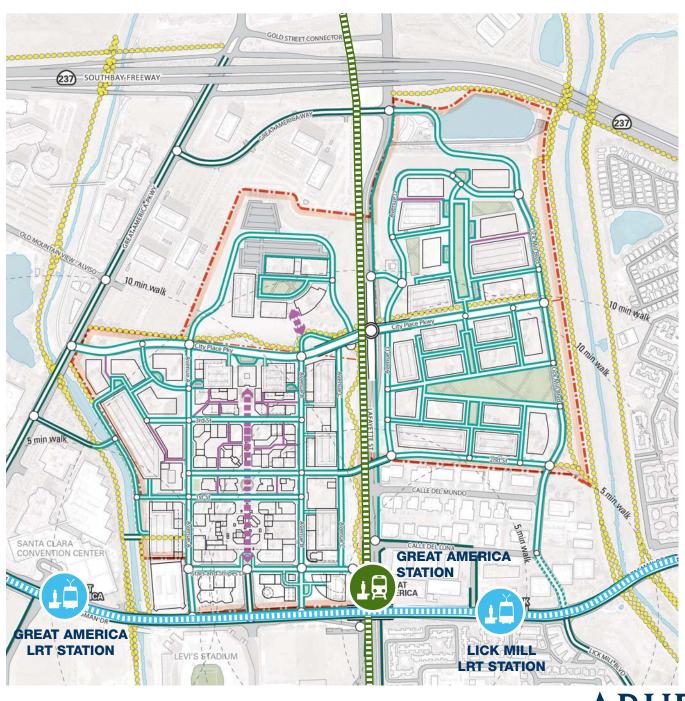




### Pedestrian Network

#### LEGEND Vehicular Circulation Major Pedestrian Linkage Pedestrian Paseo Existing Sidewalk Proposed Sidewalk ooooooo Bike Path Potential Connection 0 Urban Interchange 0 Full Intersection Right in Right out Intersection **Transit** VTA Light Rail Capitol Corridor/ Altamont Commuter Express **Boundaries** Site Parcel 1'' = 800'

0' 200' 400'





### Transit / Shuttle Network

#### LEGEND

Bus Routes

Municipal Bus Line

Potential Employer-Operated
Commuter Shuttle Route

Potential Cityplace Internal
Shuttle Route

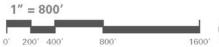
ACE/VTA Shuttle Bus Route



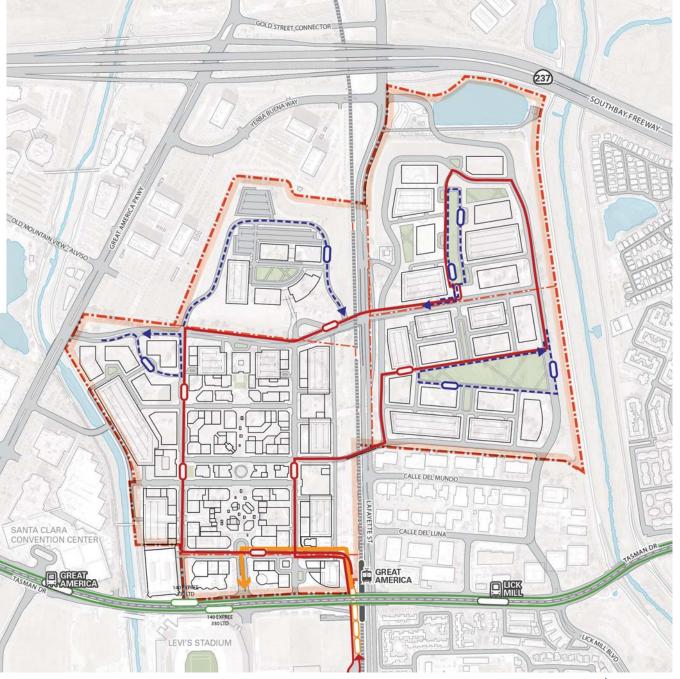
Bus Stops Municipal Bus Stop Commuter Shuttle Stop Internal Shuttle Stop ACE/VTA Shuttle Bus Stop

#### Boundaries Site

Site Parcel









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